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- Between 4 and 16 November 1954, the Panzerjaeger Kaserne in Spremberg quartered an estimated 3,000 troops. Most of the personnel wore blue service color. T-34s were seen in the kaserne. Troops engaged in driving practice with individual tanks and firing practice with carbines at practice targets in the adjacent training area.
- Gunfire was heard from the direction of Nochten throughout the day on 6, 9 and 11 November.²
- On 5 November, the Kaserne on Sachsenstrasse in Zittau quartered about 1,000 soldiers. Most of the troops wore red-bordered black service color. Twelve trucks and 8 x 76.2-mm ZIS-3 guns stood in the yard.³
- On 4 November, the kaserne on Georgewitzer Strasse in Loebau quartered an estimated 1,000 ~~men~~ who wore blue and red-bordered black epaulets, except for the officers who wore black-bordered blue epaulets. A column of 10 large jeeps towing 9 x 120-mm mortars drove toward Herrenhut.⁴
- On 26 November, Camp Nochten was evacuated by the KVP. No vehicular traffic or traffic of personnel was noticed. The Muskau-Rietschen road was open to civilian traffic. No KVP members were seen in the town of Weisswasser.²

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- Comment. Weisswasser troop training grounds had partially been vacated as early as the beginning of October.
- Comment. The howitzer artillery regiment and the AAA regiment of Mechanized Division Dresden are held in this barracks installation. It is doubted whether the 76-mm guns observed belong to the howitzer artillery regiment.
- Comment. The 3d Mech Regt and the mortar regiment of Mechanized Division Dresden are located in the kaserne. The column is believed to belong to the mortar regiment.

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